

**INQUIRY INTO UNSOLVED MURDERS AND LONG-TERM
MISSING PERSONS CASES IN NEW SOUTH WALES
BETWEEN 1965 AND 2010**

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I was walking home from Ashcroft Primary School NSW to my family home of

when I realised I was being followed. I was approached by a man matching the description of Ivan Milat at the top of Curlewis St Ashcroft just prior to turning into Curlewis st. He had spoken to me through the passenger side window as I was on the opposite side of the road heading north. I crossed the road for my own safety and I was 7yrs old. He said words to the effect of "Hey kid, come here I want to talk to you" I said "Why" he said "I have something to tell you"!, I said "What", he said "just come here I got some money and lollies for you"! I said "I don't eat lollies and I don't need money", he said impatiently "Just come here I want to tell you something", I said "NO"! and ran in fear, crossing the road and running home on the opposite side of the street crossing over to run into my home where my mother was waiting in the kitchen. I ran in and told her a man tried to give me lollies and money and followed me. Whilst saying this I watched him drive past down to Maxwells Avenue so I said to mum "look!, there he is"! And by the time she walked over to the windows he had just turned the corner left toward the lights on the corner of Elizabeth drive and Maxwells ave and disappeared.

I had seen him a number of times walking to school parked down side streets near the primary and high schools and even parked near the local little athletics field in Ashcroft bush land next to the soccer fields and a few times driving past the high schools later in the 80's. From this time on I rarely ever walked the same ways home from Ashcroft primary and high schools taking different routes for my own safety.